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Kelowna Nisei Is Essay, Music Festival Winner

KELOWNA, B. C. — A grade 12 Kelowna High School student captured first prize for Yale North in a B. C. wide high school essay contest sponsored by the B. C. division of the Canadian Cancer Society.

For her essay, she was awarded a cheque for 25 dollars from President Vic Franks of the local Cancer Society.

In addition to her literary efforts, Miss Michi Tomiye took first prize in the 18 and under soprano class at the 25th annual Musical Okanagan Festival held recently. She has appeared as a soloist at numerous engagements and has sang over the radio.

The past winter she was a delegate to the HI-Y Conference held in Victoria, and is the secretary of the local girls HI-Y Club.

passing thru

By KEN ADACHI

The Ideal Girl? . . .

For every man there's a woman, or so it's been said among the more hopeful of the male circles. Cooler or disillusioned heads have proved otherwise. What happens usually is a compromise. In other words, you have to make the best of a bad situation.

Now writing a column about Nisei girls is a foolhardy thing. Some pretty filly usually rears up and says, "Heck, this guy just can't get anywhere with Nisei girls. That's why he's always shooting off his big mouth". Or something to that effect.

It's the opinion of one Nisei woman with whom I was talking, that all males once they get out of their teens are subconsciously looking for a mate, presumably for matrimonial purposes. The female species, with this idea in mind, usually speed up this hunting business with all the feminine wiles that this so-called weaker sex (a definite misnomer) has accumulated since Eve.

Modern women even have a number of advantages over Eve. The rise and fall of skirts and the plunging neckline are fiendish and unfair tricks of the trade. They distract the poor male to no end. And often the misguided males mistake this distraction for the emotion or hixture called love.

Since happiness is the ultimate goal of life and a woman and the patter of little feet is usually associated with it, the average man is always looking for the ideal girl. And since I am out of my teens, I also must be looking subconsciously for a mate.

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The Ingredients . . .

What is The Ideal Nisei Girl? The conception of such a thing depends on what is loosely called taste. It varies from man to man.

I know I'm going on a very dangerous limb but I suppose nobody lives forever. Here then, for what it's worth, is my idea of the ideal girl.

Physical qualities aren't supposed to matter much. They [illegible] but they're helpful. Picture in your mind a tall and slim [illegible]. Of course color of hair [illegible] not enter into this [illegible] thinking since most Nisei [illegible] have to suffer the un[illegible] and unimaginative black [illegible].

[illegible] girls tag along with the (passing thru, p. 2)

JC's Returning To Many Familiar Coastal, Fraser Valley Towns

Nine years ago all persons of Japanese origin residing in the 100-mile fringe of the Canadian Pacific coast were removed to interior and eastern points as a security measure. Pulp-processing Ocean Falls, the fruit farms of Surrey, the fishing village of Tofino, the logging camps of Fanny Bay, urban New Westminster, and scores of other communities within this security belt were plucked of the racially 'dangerous' element and scattered in the hinterlands.

Today, two years after the Federal Government rescinded the order which for seven years had created a vacuum of the coastal area as far as the Japanese were concerned, many of these communities have taken them back. Although the number who have gone back is only a fraction of those who were evacuated, nevertheless they have returned to even the smaller coast centres.

While fishing has been stressed as the chief reason for the return of the Japanese Canadians to the coast, it's far from the full story. They've re-entered many occupations in which large numbers of Japanese were once engaged. Aside from fishing, they're back in farming, logging, small business and in gardening.

And although Vancouver, New Westminster and Steveston have taken most of the returning Japanese, they are now to be found in other districts. Close to Vancouver a few are back on the North Shore in West and North Vancouver, at Caulfeild, Dollarton, and in Burnaby. More are residing on Lulu Island between Vancouver and Steveston.

BACK ON FARMS

In the rich farm areas of the Fraser Valley, they are dotted along either side of the Fraser though only a minor fraction of the Japanese farmers who once grew berry crops in this fertile district are back.

On the north side of the Fraser, where such once familiar farm centres as Port Coquitlam, Haney, Hammond, and Mission are located, a handful of Japanese farmers are to be found in Haney, Webster's Corner, Mission and Hatzic. Aldergrove on the south side, just west of Abbotsford has three or four families back, and others are at Langley, Cloverdale, Sardis, and Mount Lehman. There is one farmer located as far south as White Rock.

So far there are no reports of Japanese Canadians back in company-owned pulp-and-paper towns as Woodfibre, Ocean Falls, or Port Alice on the northern tip of Vancouver Island, all of which were the source of employment for hundreds of Japanese until 1942.

However, further north, in the northern fishing areas, Japanese Canadian fishermen are settled on the Skeena and at Prince Rupert and Port Edward. Port Edward is a new fishing community which grew since the war and is located just south of Prince Rupert. Off the northern B. C. coast, there is at least one Japanese on Queen Charlotte Island.

VANCOUVER IS.

Of the 2,000 Japanese Canadians formerly living on Vancouver Island, less than a 100, and possibly less than 60 have returned. At Ucluelet on the west coast, a number of Nisei fishermen are back trolling this year. A number are also back at Paldi, near Duncan, in the Cowichan logging area. One family is to be found at Quathiaski Cove. Other towns as Victoria, Hillcrest, Nanaimo, Port Alberni and Cumberland are, so far as is known, still devoid of Japanese.

Although they have gone back to numerous coastal towns and villages, the number is still a small part of the 22,000 who once resided on the coast. A rough guess would place the number at between 1,000 and 2,000. That means, at most, less than ten percent are back on the coast.

Ex-Vice Consul in Van. Secretary to Japan PM

TOKYO, Japan — Tokusuke Ogawa who was the vice consul in Vancouver for some time prior to the War, was recently appointed special secretary to Premier Shigeru Yoshida.

Chosen R. Catholic Mother Of 1951

NEW YORK. — The title of the "Roman Catholic mother of 1951" was given last week to Mrs. Teresa Matsudaira, 49, who is the mother of 18 children. Three of the sons are war veterans. She is Japan-born.

Mrs. Matsudaira was converted to the Catholic faith in 1929.

'Go For Broke' Premiere Tickets SO In 22 Minutes

HONOLULU — The MGM story about the 442nd Regimental Combat Team, "Go for Broke!" premiered here on May 4, broke all existing box office records. Tickets went on sale on April 30 at the Waikiki Theatre and were all gone 22 minutes after the box office was opened.

Within four hours, the entire house was sold out for the first week. In short order so were the tickets for the second week showing.

The film was the first picture to be given a world premiere in Honolulu.

May 4 also was officially designated by the territorial government as "Go for Broke!" day in recognition of the men of the 442nd Combat Team and their heroic achievement.

MGM flew Van Johnson to Honolulu to be on hand for the premiere. Robert Pirosh, writer-director of the picture has been in Honolulu for a week to participate in the festivities. Most of the Nisei principals were also on hand.

Among other notables were military men closely connected with the Japanese American unit.

GFB in Tokyo

TOKYO — Two hundred Nisei veterans of the 442nd Regimental Combat Team in the Tokyo area were the guests of honor on May 7 at the Japanese premiere of MGM's "Go for Broke!" at the Ernie Pyle Theatre. Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway's command actively participated in plans for the premiere, and all the military brass in Tokyo as well as Japanese dignitaries attended.

Approval of plans for the premiere festivities was one of the final acts of Gen. Douglas MacArthur before his return to the United States last month.

Weather Records Fall In Balmy Vancouver

VANCOUVER — Japanese Canadians who have returned to this west coast city experienced one of the most peculiar months in the history of Vancouver.

During the past month, the city had the wettest day of any April and driest month of April on record. It was also the month of the sunniest weather, breaking the record set in 1918.

Downtown Vancouver had only four days of rain compared to the previous record of six in 1918. The cloudburst of April 28 is reported to have brought a record of 2.21 inches of rain in 24 hours. During the month, 290 hours of sunshine beamed on the city.

—G. O.

Fellowship, Bussei Sponsor Joint Dance

MONTREAL — The first Fellowship-Bussei jointly-sponsored dance ever to be held here will be one of the Nisei social events of Montreal at the City Hall YWCA, 188 St. Catherine St. E. on Saturday, May 12.

Novelty dances and grand prizes together with smooth dancing music carefully selected to please everyone will scintillate the affair. Are included in the price of admission, 60 cents, are refreshments.

Dancing will be from 8:30 p.m. sharp to 12:00.

Kelowna Topics:

Nisei In Reserves, Plans For Summer, JCCA Float

KELOWNA, B. C. — The spring and summer buzz of Nisei activities in the Kelowna area is warming up with the weather.

George Terada was recently promoted to the rank of corporal in the Kelowna Army reserve unit, the B. C. Dragoons. He has been with the unit for more than two years. During the past winter he went to Wainwright, Alta., for the third time to take special non-commissioned officers training course. New Nisei recruits in the B. C. Dragoons are Joe Numada, Shiro Tamaki and Yosh Terada, all joining as bandsmen.

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"THEY MADE HISTORY WORK"

A pamphlet under the tentative title, "They Made History Work" summarizing the origin and the efforts of the Co-Operative Committee on Japanese Canadians will be a lasting record of its eight years of unselfish service on behalf of Japanese Canadians.

This 32 page booklet is to outline the work and the accomplishments of the Co-Operative Committee. Beginning with its inception in 1943 when Japanese Canadians had few friends in Eastern Canada, the pamphlet will trace the Co-Operative Committee's efforts through the "voluntary repatriation" plan and the evacuation losses claims question. This literary sketch of the Co-Operative Committee will be the only comprehensively published history of an organization which fought for the true precepts of democracy.

The pamphlet, when it is completed, will be available for individual distribution through the several organizations, including the National JCCA, sponsoring its publication. Its publication, expected shortly, will about coincide with the time when the Co-Operative Committee will have wound up its work.

BUSSEIS AND FELLOWSHIP GET TOGETHER

A Nisei dance, so far as news value is concerned, is relatively insignificant. We tuck them into the back pages and they come in handy when plugging up loose holes.

But when the Fellowship and the Bussei get together to sponsor a joint affair, as they are doing in Montreal, it's worth a comment. It's no dark secret that the Nisei Christian and Buddhist groups within the same community are not generally on the best of terms. This applies to the present as well as before the evacuation.

To our knowledge we cannot recall a similar occasion when these two Nisei religious groups united for a common effort. We commend both these organizations for joining hands in sponsoring a social event. There has been no good reason that these two groups could not get together but this has been the first time it has taken place.

This calls for a chain reaction elsewhere.

PASSING THRU

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idea of The Great American Bosom and other figure-aiding props, so the outward appearance, I suppose, doesn't matter too much. Well, tall and slim— it's a good and provocative start.

But her mental quality is the big factor. Usually the Nisei male is quite satisfied with the brains-made-out-of-sawdust type so that he can easily assume his domination. I suppose some girls are quite content to be like that. Or there is the type that will talk you into distraction about nothing.

Now The Ideal Nisei Girl will have intelligence. She doesn't have to be intellectual but she should have a fairly good knowledge of what makes up life and the world. If she likes and appreciates good books, good music, good conversation, good theatre, and some of the things which make life stimulating, then she will surpass the picture of The Ideal Nisei Girl. But basically she has to understand life.

Mix femininity and intelligence, stir, and you have the recipe for the creature. It approaches the picture of a mature, understanding, and somewhat sophisticated girl.

Such a standard is really high, I know, but it's possible. Take my word for it.

But in most cases, you have to be downright philosophical about the whole thing.

Happiness consists in activity ... it is a running stream, not a stagnant pool.

—John Mason Good

The Drama Of The Have-Nots

Tokyo Pawnshops Accept Chopsticks and Shirts Proprietor Must Not Recognize Customer

Any of Tokyo's 28 public benefit pawnshops run by the metropolitan government is a stage of real drama of the life of the have-nots.

For many a downtown wage-earner in the lowest income bracket, it is one of his daily routines to drop in at "uncle's" on his way to work in the morning and borrow just enough for lunch and cigarettes on the only security he can put up—rice pots, kettles, bowls, chopsticks—which he redeems on his way home out of the day's earnings.

In summer, once in a while, a day-laborer will walk in, strip to the waist and hold out for a loan on the shabby shirt he has just taken off.

One day, a woman timidly produced a school child's knapsack, a battered one, and asked for "as much as you see fit". Her voice told of her experience. The clerk handed her the price for two eggs.

VARIED CLIENTELE

Last year, nearly 1,000,000 Tokyoites used the public pawnshops. More than 40 per cent of the PBP users are salaried folk and day-laborers; the rest include small industrialists and tradesmen. Nearly 90 per cent of the pawns is clothing. The rest range from bedding, cooking utensils, and such unheard-of things as sampans and rice.

These pawnshops loan out 70 per cent of the assessed values of the pledges. The low rates of loans are compensated for by the low interest, three per cent as against the 10 per cent charged by private pawnshops. The terms of redemption is four months as against the three demanded by private pawnshops.

The PBP's are menacing Tokyo's 1,400 private pawnshops who usually lend up to nearly 100 per cent of the value of the security. To meet competition, they accept such things as furniture, bicycles, row-boats, or trucks which PBP's do not accept.

"SPECIALIZED" TRADE

Some "special" kinds of private pawnshops have sprung up in Tokyo. Some cater to students who pawn books, cameras, watches, and brief-cases. The shops treat these customers courteously with an eye towards their future patronage when they are on their own.

Another is the "Ginza pop-houses" whose customers are fellows who want another drink and have no ready cash at the time. They hock valuable things such as watches, rings, cigarette cases. Then there are the "cycle race" pawnshops, found near the race tracks in the metropolis.

SEE, SPEAK NO EVIL

No Japanese pawnshops carry the three-ball sign. They are usually located on back alleys. Those on a main street have back doors by which customers may enter. The idea in either case is to protect the customers from public attention of which they all have a horror. The Japanese are fussy almost to the point of nervousness about "face". Hence a rule of etiquette a pawnshop-keeper must observe is to feign total nonacquaintance when he meets a customer in public.

Thus the authorities are thinking of changing the name of the PBP's to "Public Benefit Finance Consultation Station"—or at least of deleting the word, "pawnshops". There are 250 such PBP's in Japan.

(—Nippon Times, condensed)

NISEI IN RESERVES

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The three were former members of the Kelowna City Band for a number of years.

Early in the year, Jim Kitaura who is an active member in community affairs and especially in promoting better race relations, was scoutmaster of the Rutland Boy Scouts. Kitaura, a Rutland boy scout for more than ten years will become a King Scout upon completing his test.

For spring and summer training, Jim is planning to take his scouts, consisting of about 30 boys on hikes and to camps. In addition to his scout activity, he is a member of the B. C. JCCA committee, and social convenor of the local chapter, the secretary of the Interior Baseball League and vice-president of the Rutland Adanacs baseball tea[illegible]

The Kelowna Young Japanese Canadian Association, one of the oldest Nisei organizations in Ca[illegible]nada, inaugurated ten years ago has changed its name to the Kelowna Chapter JCCA. Its constitution, policy and [illegible] will remain unchanged [illegible] it was an affiliated orga[illegible] of the B. C. JCCA, it was [illegible] to change the name to av[illegible] fusion.

MAY ENTER FLOAT

During the winter, the K[illegible]na Chapter kept up a [illegible] activities. Get-togethers [illegible]pally for dancing instru[illegible] were most popular. H[illegible] casting aside winter acti[illegible] preparing for the [illegible] son, a general picnic and a [illegible] sports day are being pla[illegible]

If it is feasible, the Ke[illegible] JCCA will enter a float [illegible] internationally famous [illegible] Kelowna Regatta to be [illegible] August for the 45th time[illegible]

Y. T.

Nippon Ships In Vancouver

By GENICHI OHASHI

VANCOUVER — Two Japanese freighters rest on the calm waters of the Burrard Inlet, both having arrived at this port May 3. They are the S.S. Mukai Maru and the S.S. Yamaki Maru.

The 7,000-ton S.S. Mukai Maru, a freighter on charter to the NYK Line, and its crew of 51 eased into its berth at the Alberta Wheat Pool in order to take back its second cargo of Canadian grain to Japan.

The vessel is marking its second visit to Vancouver after being absent since January 11 of this year. The Mukai Maru was the first deep-sea cargo ship to reach the Canadian port since the war.

The second ship in port is the 128 metre-length S.S. Yamaki Maru which is the twelfth Nippon ship to arrive this year. The ship has a crew of 55 under Capt. Sekiji Yamaoka and is docked at the CPR wharf. She is the second Yamashita Line freighter to arrive this year.

The first Yamashita Line vessel to make an appearance here, the S.S. Yamadono Maru is due to arrive again sometime during the latter part of May. It is reported to be resting in Japan after returning from Portland.

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The Limit Is 200

Did you know that the average adult Nisei devours about 60 pounds of rice per year? Under ordinary circumstances, he (also she) puts away anything from about 25 pounds to more than a sack and a half.

Were you aware that probably not more than a hundred Nisei in Canada own a beard, moustache, fungi or other form of lip or chin growth? Many Nisei admit ruefully they have hard enough time looking manly.

Did it occur to you that if every man, woman and child of Japanese ancestry in Canada were spread evenly over the land surface of Canada, each of us would be the only Japanese in 170 square miles of area? Volunteers for Northwest Territories, please step to the right.

Do you realize that despite all rumors to the contrary, evidence proves that considerably less than half the Nisei girls above high school age smoke? Even among Nisei men, there are most likely non-smokers than those who don't know poker.

Did you notice the scarcity of Japanese children in the [illegible] year age bracket?

Now we'd like to know how General Motors made a $734,[illegible] profit in 1950.

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〔第百二十九回〕

過去

殺いたに在愛宕山の峰や、高い空にまだ入日の光が溢れてゐて、地上から暮れて來てゐた。暗い色が殖つて來るのと同時に街は灯をもり始めた。それこそ碁盤目に置かれた平坦な町なのだ。これだけの大きい眺望を持つてゐるせいで清水寺はまだ死んでゐない。他の寺のことを思ひながら、恭吾は、かう思つたそれと、苔寺、龍安寺のやうに美しい庭を持つた寺が、その庭がある故に生きているだけである。詩人のヴェルレエヌが、その時代のパリーを歌つて石材の沙漠と稱したのを、恭吾は知つてゐた。同じ云ひ方をすると、京都も奈良も古い寺々の沙漠のやうに見えることがある。立ちながら廢墟となつたやうにかわいてゐるのを、美しい自然があつて僅かに救はれてゐるのである。

しかも、恭吾は、この廢れた寺々に心を惹かれてゐるやうであつた。永年の外國生活の後に、二度と戻れまいと信じてゐた祖國に俄に歸つて來てから、昔からあつた古いものに一途に心を惹かれてゐる。戰爭の果に日本に殘つたのは實に京都、奈良だけだと云つてもよいのである。

名所舊蹟など云ふものが現代の日本人の生活には段々と無意味なものになつて來てゐるのは、分つてゐた。これは終戰を境として、人が急に一樣に日本の過去に冷淡になつたせいもあらうが、その以前から、けはしい經濟生活の影響が、用の無い過去を振り向く餘裕を失はしめたものであらう。若い人達は殊に自國の歴史を信用しなくなつた。その人達から見れば、恭吾のしてゐることは、閑人の無用のすさびとも云ひ得るのである。恭吾もそれを自覺してゐるし若い人達が、じゆたんのやうに厚く美しい西芳寺の庭の苔を踏むよりも、ホールの床を踏むのに生き甲斐を覺えてゐるのも承知してゐるのだつた。日本の過去は、前に進まうとばかりしてゐる若い人達の心をつなぎ止め得ない。けれども、ふと、どこかの寺に出る靜かな野道を辿つていて、同じ目的で歩いてゐるらしい若い人たちの姿を見かけると、恭吾は聲をかけて話して見たいやうな氣持に誘はれてゐた。

日語學園便り

【トロント發】四月廿九日午後四時より竹林樓に於てトロント日本語學園維持會主催で新舊教師歡送迎會と親睦會をかねて行い多數父兄母姉が出席盛會であつた

△開會の挨拶中川佐助維持會長△新任教使の挨拶西村先生△御別れの挨拶小早川先生△東亞文化の活用と第二世と題して小財園長△閉會の言葉(中川氏)があり八時散會

●チーバー佛教會では四月二十八日午後生田、河村、猫田三開教使並に各補教士司式にて釋尊降誕花祭を擧修、各佛教會代表も參列して婦人會の努力になる八重櫻の出來ばえも見事に、おとき後河村師の米國巡しやく記念映畫があり會衆多數で盛會だつた

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尙本年一月の總會で協議の結果死去に際し一般の方へ香典返しや病氣全快祝等一切の虛禮を廢する事を決議した

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南北老人

國民は空軍再建など考えぬ

◇所で第三の、費用の問題となると、これが又大へんだ。或る軍事通が、大ザッパに勘定した所によると、近代裝備の陸軍再建には、兵隊一人につき、最少限度で百万圓はかかるという。――して見ると十万人で千億圓ということになるが、再軍備論の急先鋒、芦田元首相などは、二十万人位はなくちゃといつている。――こんな陸軍だけで二十億圓だ。

◇それに、オマケをつけて海軍も、空軍も欲しいということになつたら一体どんなことになるか。――一例として戰爭當時のアホー話を一つ紹介する。――大戰の初期、日本は七万トンという方途もない超大軍艦を二隻持つていた。大和、武藏というのがそれだ。――これこそ絶對の不沈艦で爆彈だろうが魚雷だろうが何でも來いさ、上下横ッ腹、堅固無比の裝甲を張り廻したものであつたが、太和は沖繩で、武藏はヒリッピンで、空襲を受けて、モロくもやられた。――同型の大軍艦に信濃というのがあつて、急に設計替えの上、航空母艦に改造、艦体を横須賀で完成して、兵器を積込むため、呉に廻航の途中、遠州灘だつたか、熊野沖だつたか、潜水艦に襲われ、これこそ、大砲一發も撃たずにブク〱と沈んでしまつた。――これ等の建造費、今なら一隻千億圓ずつがかりますと、當時の技師が最近に發表している。

◇ここに「最近發表」というのは、こういう軍艦のあることを、軍部ではヘシガクシにかくしていたからなのだ。――大和は、長崎で建造したんだが、工事の現場を外界から覗かせないようにと、高さ二百フイートのシュロ縄のスクリーンを、あたりに張り廻らした。――何しろ、東京驛の建物と略ば同じ大きさなんだから、それを包んでしまうシュロ縄の量も莫大だ。そのために、九州地方のシュロ縄は全部海軍さんの御買上げとなつて、漁師たちは、忽ち困つてしまつたという。

◇それで秘密は洩れないで済んだかというと、知らないのは日本國民だけで、アメリカの軍事通には筒抜けにわかつていて、ドンな大砲を、ドノ邊に、何門すえつけてあるかまで知つていたらしいには、ビックリしたと、知らない組の、日本の某新聞記者が書いている。

◇問題なのは、一千億圓の不沈艦が、苦もなく空襲でやられたことだ。――理由は簡單で、護衛の飛行隊がなかつたからなのだ――詰まりは素ッ裸で、敵陣に乗り込んだのである。――ナゼか。お伴に連れて行く飛行機がなかつたからなのだ。――イヤ、正確に言うと、飛行機はあつた澤山あつて、唯だ粗製濫造で役に立たない發動機を積んだものが多數だつたのだ。

◇そんなボロはナンボでも出る。――そういう海軍、そういう空軍を再建しようなどということは、生活に疲れ切つている日本國民の、頭の中の隅ッこにもなかろうというものだ。

男の節句　五月の鯉のぼり

工場員 雇いたし委細は面談の上
ニューカナデアン

ミドウェ句稿

森　明星選

課題「日除」

天　窓日覆とぼしき命横たへる　都人

地　詩集あかすなか〱日覆去りがたく　都人

人　子の寢息かそか日覆を据へなほし　森井

●秀逸●

一　日覆せし中より漏れるラヂオの音　北上

二　窓開けて日覆下せば風はらみ　一枝

三　郷の店古りたる日覆に綴りなし　一笠

四　脚線美入陽あらわに色日覆　雄雪

五　さゝやかな路傍の日除に野菜賣り　一柳

選者吟　濱風に白き日覆は陽をはじく

席題「ビール」

●秀逸●

一　ビールのむ朱唇色濃きシャンデリヤ　茶山

二　グラス冷やビヤのこはくがふくれくる　都人

三　業了へて妻の荒手にビール盛る　伯富

四　林立のビールににぶき灯の光り　茶山

五　ビール泡グラス模様消してゐる　一柳

選者吟　手の皺をふと淋しみつビール干す

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【東京發】日本でニユカナデアンの代表として又種々の用務が東京を中心とする都合から郷里だけでは不便を感じていた露木海藏氏は今回左記の場所を東京連絡所に決定した。此所は銀座と日本橋の間にある京橋の橋ぎわで、曾て晩香坡の先住の一人として活躍した西五辻章仲氏が社長であるアクメ商會の一部を利用させて貰うもので東京に於ての連絡には好場所である。露木氏への手紙は今までどおりの神奈川縣足柄上郡福澤村でもよいし又左記でもよい。

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【ピクチユアビュート發】五月十三日(日)午後一時からビュート佛教會に於て福岡縣下小學兒童の作品展覽會が開かれる。これは米國デンバー佛教會から寄贈されたもので一般の参観が希望されている。尚當日はビュート佛教會の祥月法要と定例説教もある。

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カナダ協會
米本理事長近く來加

【東京發】東京にあるカナダ協會では四月廿八日ホテル東京に於て米加に旅行中だつた露木海藏氏歓迎會及び理事長米本新次氏が近く商用で米加に出發する送別をかねた臨時會合を催した。内山常任理事が司會して露木氏の旅行談があり次に米本氏が旅行の目的や抱負を語り、カナダの思い出話に時をすごした。参會者は次の諸氏だつた

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近藤畫伯の繪を表紙に
協同委員會の歴史を印刷して發行

日系人のためのコーペラチヴコミテの歴史を「彼等はデモクラシーを活かして働らかせた」という題でパンフレットに印刷することになつた、全加市協の田中書記長とコミテーのブーメ幹事とミセス・フオーゲスの三人が編集に當つて居り表紙には全加市協大會でコーペラチヴコミテーに贈呈された近藤傳作氏の繪「エヴァキュエーション」を用いる筈で近く發行され大人數有協會、人種差別反對勞働委員會、ユダヤ人協會、フエローシップ・オブ・リコンシリエーション、全加市協等の手で各方面に配付することになつている

協同委から感謝狀

尚コーペラチヴコミテーでは先般のモントリオル大會に於て同委員會に感謝が表明されたことに對し全加市協に謝狀を寄せ「政府の政策により日系人が受けた不正義に強く抗議したカナダ人を代表するものとして吾々は市協の感謝をありがたく受けるものである寄贈された近藤氏の繪はカールトン合同教會にかけることにしている」と述べている。またトロント市協ではコーペラチヴコミテーのメンバーを招待して感謝の晩餐會を開く計畫を立てている

フォラム＝投稿歡迎

小宮山扶三子女史を憶う

トロント市　日野志

ともに共に命をもちてめぐりあふことの　うれしと師はのたまへり

見るみ瞬もなつかしきかな久にして　相見る友とむかしがたりも

沿岸を追われて日本人は勿論友達一人もなかつたブレスコツトで妻と二人で働いていた時、六年ぶりで小宮山女史の來訪を受け、再會の喜びを共にしたとき「生きて居れば再び巡り會うてこんなうれしいことはない」とおつしやつた女史のお言葉はいまだに忘れ難く、私の脳裡にふかく刻みこまれている。殊に同じ信仰に活きる親しさと女史に對する尊敬の念を懐いて居る妻の喜び方も、たとえようのないものであつた。

その後間もなく私達がモントリオルを訪ねたとき、主にある、兄姉との交わりの時間をつくつていただいた。こまやかなる思いやりと忙しい中をもいとわず町の案内、色々いお心づくしを受け、それまで私達が氣付かなかつた美しい女史の姿に接して語り合い樂しんだのが最後の憶い出となろうとは？　生きて再び喜びを分ち合うことの出來ないのを悲しむ。

萠え出でし吾が歌心あはなくも　摘みとられたるここちこそすれ

戰前女史の豊かなる歌作にふれ、私の初心の作にも女史の魔筆によつて筆を加えられ添削され、時には一首、一首に批評を加えて導いて下さつた。思えば女史によつて芽ばえた歌心が育つこそなく師に逝かれたことは返すがえすもさびしい極みである。

師の訃報幾度か讀みくりかへし　亂れる心おさえがたきも

我が魂もきよめられたる思ひこそ　師が詠みたまふ歌に觸るれば

私達が當市へ移つてからいただいたお手紙の中に「トロントの生活はどう思う？　靜思も瞑想もない生活、都會は人間のライフをドライなものにしてしもう」と書かれてあつたお言葉。近年女史の歌を讀むことができなかつたのはほんとうにさびしいことであつた。一人息子を神にささげて好きな歌をよむことさえ忘れ、忙しい牧師の家庭の母として自からもひたむきに神と人とに奉仕の生活に入られた女史の最近の姿は、更に美しく尊いものであつたと思う。

最後に私の記憶をたどつて女史の歌二首をここに記し、在りし日の女史の姿を偲ぶ。

戰ひに萎え疲れたる國よ民よ　かの日輪を仰ふぎ見ましし　（日支事變當時）

子と二人海邊に佇てば秋風ぞ　頬になれきて草の香の散る　（晩市のビーチにて）

雜錄
母の强さは——

櫻月生

來たる日曜、五月十三日は「母の日」である。父の日、子供の日と、それぞれの記念日を自分のために占有することができる父や子供にくらべて世の多くの母は、母の日をも自分だけのために持つことはできないであろう。來る日來る日——毎日は母の日であるからだ。

母には休み日とてはない。それほどに彼女は自己を犠牲にして生きていて、それでいて、男よりは弱い存在で[illegible]女らは、大[illegible]場合に突き[illegible]りと強[illegible]己れを容れ[illegible]生きるものこそは、何ものにもまして強いことを、母は教えてくれるのである。

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モントリオルの小宮山扶三子氏が亡くなつたときに、取あえずおくやみの手紙を差上げたのであつたが、同女史について一文を書かねば——と思つたけれど、それができなかつた。歌人としての小宮山女史のことを私はよく知らないからである。晩香坡時代に歌の會を指導したり、最近年に故富田繍平老が、レモンタリーキ居住當時からピクチユアビュートに移つてからも小宮山女史に師事して歌の精進をつづけていたことを耳にしては、同女史のよまれた歌一つも知らない私が、それこれ書くのは見當ちがいになる恐れがあつたからでもある。

幸いにトロントの比嘉さんから扶三子女史を偲ぶ一文をいただいたので、これで責をふさぐことが出來たように思う。

それにしても「母の日」を前にして思われることは、お母さんとしての小宮山女史である。己れのすべてを打ちこんだであろう息子さんの中に、女史は生きていることであろう。永わずらいした扶三子女史を看まもつて再び健康を取りもどさせ、父と母の愛のかぎりをそそいで息子さんを教師に育てあげてきた小宮山高彦氏の苦労を思い[illegible]できない。

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英國の中共支持を眞向反對
マ元帥、調査會で最後的警告を與う

【ワシントン發】マッカーサー元帥は三日間にわたる證言を土曜夜七時に終えてニューヨークに空路歸つたが最後的な警告として「朝鮮における共産黨の脅威を完全に撃退することに失敗すれば自由世界は壞滅の發日を見るであろう」と言い殘して去つた。三日にわたる調査會でマ元帥はいつもシッカリした態度でよどみなく應答するとともに意見を述べ、時には米國政府の政策を口するどく論難して共和黨議員たちをよろこばすかと思うと次には政府の政策に全く同意見だと支持を表明するなどマ元帥がすぐれた軍略家のみならず流暢かつ明確な應答ぶりによつて雄辯家であることを充分に示し、調査會にのぞんだ議員たちに大きな好感と敬意を更に抱かせたといわれる、マ元帥は今まで大統領の指令を守らなかつた事は一度もないと主張、しかし朝鮮戰爭遂行に當つてワシントンから確固不拔な政策が絶對に送られなかつたと難じた。また米國の利益に反するばかりか米國自身の生存に關係する英國の完全な中共支持を攻撃、英國は戰略上重要な臺灣を中共に手渡せるなどと中共を支持したりしているが、英國は自身の首をくくるも同様だと述べている、マ元帥はその證言で自分を解任したものは大統領だつた一人であると信じると述べ、統合參謀本部やマーシャル國防長官やアチソン國務長官ではないことを言外にふくめている

もう戰爭は終りだ
捕虜となつた北鮮軍將校が語る

【東京發】國連軍は七日百マイルの戰線の兩端より攻撃を起し中央戰區の春川に戰車偵察隊は無抵抗裡に進入した、共産軍は東西兩端で多少抵抗しているだけで一帶にかけて後退中である、捕虜となつた北鮮軍將校の語るところによると「北鮮軍はもうこれ以上は攻撃はしないであろう、戰爭はもうおしまいだ」といつたというがこれは戰爭が長期戰となり彼我に大攻撃戰がないことを意味するものかも知れないと見る向きもある

シュガー値上り

オンタリオ州ロンドンの砂糖會社では來る十日から百斤につき廿五仙値上げを發表、トロントの小賣値は五斤袋につき二仙値上げとなろう、州内のシュガー・ビーツ農者は値上りでビーツ値に好響すると見られている

日本は占領出來ぬ
ソ連の弱點を素破拔く

第一日目の證言において調査會議長がマ元帥に對して行つた質問應答中、次の通りの興味あるものが交された、要點は次の通り

△質問（議長）私は元帥が議會での演說で日本國民を稱讚されたことに感銘しました、元帥は日本の駐屯軍全部を朝鮮に送ることは危險だと述べられた、もしソ連がよい機會だとその時攻めてくればソ連は日本を占領することが出來たであろうと私は思うがどうですか？

△答え（マ元帥）いや私は非常にそれを疑います、日本は水陸兩面からでなければ占領することは出來ないと信じる、われわれが海上と空中權をにぎつている限りソ連は日本を占領することは疑問である、私自身の推測によるとソ連は極東に×××の武裝軍隊を持つているが彼等の支援は全然ヨーロッパ・ロシアに賴つている、だから大規模な攻略に必要な軍需品、武器その他すべてヨーロッパ・ロシアからシベリアへ鐵道で輸送されねばならない、この輸送路は現在のシベリア軍を平和時に於てさえ支持するのに勢一杯なのだから大攻略作戰を起すために大量軍隊輸送は可能だとは思わない、ソ連軍隊の構成は大部分が防衛であり、中共軍の弱點は空海に勢力を持たぬことにより、ソ連がそれを援助出來ない立場であることを示すものだと思う、ソ連は日本を攻撃することは出來るが空中、海上權をにぎらぬ限り日本を占領することは出來ないと信じる

濠洲有力紙も論難

【濠洲シドニー發】朝鮮で國連軍が大きな損害を出しているにも拘らず英國は中共に對しゴムをはじめその他の軍需資材を送つている事實について、シドニーの有力二新聞は英國の極東政策は外務省がつくるのでなく商務省がするのだと非難「中共と商取引をしている英國の態度は米國に對する「拔き討ち的行爲」であり、濠洲國民をふくみ英國民は英國の外交方針は外務省でなく商務省が定めるものと信じるのは無理ないと思うのがあたりまえだ」と論じている

黒人ピアニスト
散髪を拒否さる

カナダのジャズ・ピアニストとして米加ともに有名な黒人オスカー・ピターソン氏はハミルトン市で出演中だが去る土曜午後市内の一白人散髪店に入り散髪を拒絶された、數分後に同店で白人客をサービスしているので再び入つて行つて尋ねたが斷られたので散髪店を相手取り訴訟するといつている、同市々長も「市の名をけがす事件だ」と語つている

化藥タンクが突如爆發
サーニア市民は夜着でとび出す

インピリアル・オイルの精製所として有名なセーユーロン湖岸のサーニア（人口三万）は六日夜市外ポリマー人造ゴム製造工場の大きな化學藥品貯藏タンクが突如爆發、市中のあらゆるウインドーは破壞大音響は七十マイルの遠いところまで及び眞紅の大火焔は百五十尺も高く空中にまい上つたが幸い一人も死者を出さず負傷四名のみ、しかし住民は市が爆撃にやられたものだと信じ、いずれも寢卷のまま戸外にとび出し[illegible]の避難場所をさがすなど深刻な場面を一時は展開した

山彦丸入港
向日丸も二度目

【晩市、大橋源一發信】五月三日には晩市の港に二隻の日本貨物船が入港した、一隻は戰後最初にカナダに入港した向日丸が再び姿をあらわしアルバータ小麥港につながれている、もう一隻は[illegible]港[illegible]第十三船山彦丸（船長桐圓瑞茂氏）で五十五名の船員を乘せてシートピーアール埠頭についている

[illegible]加藤勘十氏落選

【東京發】卅日、[illegible]的となつていた東京都知事選擧では元勞働相加藤勘十氏が現知事安井誠一郎氏に二對一で敗北した

米都市に原爆の雨
ツ大統領がマ元帥方針を痛撃

【ワシントン發】トルーマン大統領は七日夜民間防衛準備大會（全國代表八百名參集）でマ元帥が主張するように朝鮮戰爭を擴大するとすれば米國都市は原子爆彈の雨をうけるだろうと述べ「これだけは忘れてはならぬ、われわれは米國内都市にたくさんの原爆が落されることを[illegible]して[illegible]、その一つで朝鮮で失つた人命以上の損害を受けるであろう」と警告した、なおマーシャル國防長官も七日調査會でマ元帥は命令に違反したため今日まさに[illegible]停戰機會をむだにした[illegible]と攻撃、マ元帥の方針に從えばソ連の參戰をまねき第三次大戰になるのは必至だと證言した

對中共方針
ピ外相發表す

【オタワ發】ピアソン外相は七日の議會で中共軍が國連軍と戰爭をつづける間はカナダは中共政府承認、臺灣の歸屬および對日講和條約に關する相談には絶對のらないとカナダ政府の方針を明かにした

西歐へ六千名募兵

【オタワ發】クラックストン國防相は先週末アイゼンハワー元帥麾下にカナダ歐洲派遣軍として五千五百乃至六千名を豫備隊を月曜から募兵開始と發表した、獨身者は三年間、結婚した者は一年間い現役兵となるが派遣日は未定

【ニューヨーク發】米國は七日中共に對する武器禁輸を一〇〇パーセントにする決議文を作成した

Black Weekend

Westerns Teams Lose Openers

Weather wasn't the only thing downcast about the opening days out at Toronto's St. Clair Memorial Stadium over the week-end. There was plenty of long faces among Westerns players and fans as the three Westerns affiliates in curtain-raisers all bit the dust of defeat. It was a black week-end as the Seniors were tumbled 8-5 on Saturday, and on Sunday, Juniors were blanked 5-0 while the Juves were counted out 5-1.

After the usual gamut of opening day rites, the Westerns, under the new manager, Joe Koyanagi, faced a new entry, Crosstown Motors, in the later contest of a two-for-one bill. The bill by the way, is straight 25 cents for all Senior contests in place of the pay-as-you-like glass bowl. There should be no kicks for Seniors will play double-headers each time out, on Saturday afternoons, and Tuesday and Thursday nights. It's a nickel for youngsters and the oldsters on pensions.

The start seemed auspicious enough for the Westerns who have added three non-Nisei players this year and started one of them, Joe Howe in right field batting clean-up. Leadoff Aki Koyanagi dumped a triple out into right field and shortstop Sack Tsukamoto promptly smashed a ground-rule double that bounded into the bleachers to drive in the first Westerns run for 1951 but that was the end of the boom-boom.

Starter Ken Ohara bothered by a sore back but given the honor of pitching the first game, was ineffective and gave away to Al Kelly in the third after giving up all Crosstown's eight. This Kelly, a bespectacled right-hander hand with Ace Bowling last year whose fireball caused rookie catcher Yuki Kameoka's hand to swell, pitched three innings of hitless ball, facing ten men, striking out six and walking one, to end the game.

PLENTY OF RESERVE

Crosstown plated all their runs in the first two innings, while Westerns scored singly except for a pair in the second inning, when the Niseis failed to capitalize fully on Crosstown pitcher Russ Enright's wildness.

The Niseis outhit their opponents 6 to 5.

Westerns started Mori, Koyanagi, Tsukimoto and Oikawa in the infield with Ogaki and newcomer Sub Miike getting in, while outfielders were Hayashi, Koy Tanaka and Howe with Fred Tanaka subbing in the late innings.

Despite their loss, Westerns are greatly improved over last year, particularly in the way of bench strength. Regulars will need to keep hustling which should add more fight and drive. Kelly has a powerful whip for the pitching corps, and Miike is a strong addition to the infield. But whether they have strength enough remains to be seen. A lot will depend on the loudness of Howe's reputed bat which failed in the clutch in opening day and the durability of their young catcher over the season.

JUNIORS BLANKED

Although Ken Ikeda, the promising wrong-armed whipped pitched brilliantly, allowing only four hits, one bad inning and errors caused their 5-0 downfall. Shortstop Major Fukumoto batted two of the Westerns' five hits in a game that was marred by a downpour. About the only other batter of note for the Westerns was pinchhitter Sho Mori who broke two bats on successive pitches.

For the 18 and under Juveniles coached by Ken Kutsukake, moving up from the midget ranks, six errors contributed to their defeat at the hands of Presswoods 5-1. Both teams collected four hits each, with Adachi picking up two of the Westerns base knocks.

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Juves to Oakville

The Western Juveniles hit a short trail to Oakville to engage the Oakville Juveniles in a regular league schedule to-night.

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KNAC Enjoys Banquet And Elects Officers

KAMLOOPS, B. C. — The third annual banquet of the Kamloops Nisei Athletic Club was held in the Plaza Blue Room on April 8 with over 90 guests and members attending.

Tom Kobayashi, past president, welcomed the guests and thanked the members for their support in making the past season a successful one.

Ald. Fitzwater, speaking on behalf of Mayor Affleck who was unable to attend, wished the club every success in the coming year. W. H. Gurney, principal of the Kamloops High School, stated that most of the school teams were well represented by the Club members and that not only were they active in athletics but also in other school activities. He said they were also good students.

Hec McKenzie, Canadian Legion sports representative and Art Jeffries of North Kamloops also spoke briefly. Art Davies of North Kamloops entertained by playing piano selections and leading a community sing.

Trophies were presented by Tom Kobayashi to Ken Kochi, who was batting champion of the KNAC Junior baseball team and to John Aura, who captained the winning team in the bowling league.

Prior to the banquet, the annual meeting and election of officers was held. The results were as follows: Shin Shoyama, president; Ken Kochi, vice-president; Mary Yasui, secretary; Frances Kato, treasurer; and Roy Nishizaki and Arnie Kuroyama, auditors. — S. S.

Whew!

Vancouver Sun sports columnist Dan Ekman mentioned recently Ted Otsu who writes on events in Vancouver for The New Canadian.

Said Ekman in his column "Sun Spotlight":

"One of the postman's livelier gifts was a despatch by-lined 'By Ted Otsu, special Nisei correspondent.' From that impressive start it went on to say that a Japanese Canadian baseball team has entered the Industrial League [illegible] season, thus reviving memories of the well-loved Asahis [illegible] as Ted puts it [illegible] the first [illegible] the Coast [illegible] their final con[illegible] ground [illegible] years [illegible]

Bussei Ball Practice

[illegible] at the [illegible] Tailors, at [illegible] and Bathurst Streets.

Moonlite G. Cops Playoffs, T. Nishino Tops Averages

A team in the consolation series, seventh-place Sea Breeze, rolled up the highest five-game total, 5915, but it was runner-up Moonlite Grill with a 5724 score that took the honors. In the championship playoffs between the four top teams, the restauranters ran up a steady five-game series to win out over O.K. Cleaners who finished with 5546.

Actually it was the consolation series teams which carded respectable scores. If both series were lumped, O.K. would have ended in fifth place, instead of second, while the league winner Spadina Bowling which finished third with 5170, would have been a poor ninth. Queen City, last in the champs round, had the lowest score of all 12 teams.

Moonlite Grill takes possession of the JCCA Challenge Trophy for their effort. It was held last year by O.K. Cleaners.

Stringing together mounting scores of 976, 1198, 1201, 1215 and 1321, Sea Breeze took consolation honors while Takeda Insurance with 5687 was runner-up and Sora Construction, 5681 ended a close third.

The Sea Breeze showing was mainly due to R. Sasaki who with a 368 to top his five games chalked up 1382 pins while Bing Tanaka of Takeda, 1363 (308) and Eddie Nakamura of O.K., 1323 were others who bettered 1300. Other better scores were Mas Isoshima 1276, Joe Izumi 1274, Joe Nishizaki 1271, and T. Ikeda 1243.

King Pin during the regular season was the Grill's T. Nishino. He ended up with a 96-game average of 232 pins, had the highest three-game total with 935 and the second best single with 392. However with each player entitled to only one individual award, Tak Hayashida's 916 was triple tops with Ed Nakamura, 910, as runner-up. Tuck Kataoka had the highest single with 397 and Joe Nishizaki took over second place.

Takeda's Sandy Ono was runner-up in season's averages with 229, while Joe Izumi who led most of the season finished in the money with 229. J. Takeda 223, G. Ide 222, Terry Fujioka 221, M. Isoshima 221, E. Nakamura 221, Y. Saito 220, were other consistent keglers.

To cap the 1950-51 season and to dole out the awards, a supper banquet is to take place at the International Chop Suey on Sunday, May 13, starting at 5 p.m. sharp.

Nisei, Clippers In Stalemate

By TED OTSU

VANCOUVER — In a recent Industrial Baseball League contest against Pacific Tribune Clippers, the Vancouver Nisei were held to a 3-3 tie in a game called on account of darkness at the end of the sixth inning at the Powell Street Grounds.

The game turned out to be a pitchers' duel as star pitcher for the Nisei, George Fukuyama, doled out only two hits while fanning eight men, and Clipper pitcher, Delaire, allowed three hits and struck out six.

Nisei runs came on extra-base blows by Sub Koyanagi, a veteran player from last season, who doubled down the left field line, and Hubbo Matsuzaki, a former Steveston player, who also hit a ground-rule double over the stands in right field.

Tad Kitagawa's texas leaguer in the fifth inning enabled the Nisei to take a 3-1 lead but the Clippers came back in the sixth as a double by Ross and a single by pitcher Delaire accounted for the two tying runs.

The Nisei will be playing two games each week.

Nisei: Nappy Sakamoto, LF; Tony Naka, 2B; Sub Koyanagi, 1B; Hubbo Matsubayashi, C; Bo Miyagishima, SS; Tak Kitagawa, 3B; Asa Oikawa, RF; Kich Koyanagi, CF; George Fukuyama, P.

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SOCIAL CALENDAR

MAY

12—Toronto. Japanese Exhibit and Tea by Nisei Married Couples Group, at Queen Street United Church.

18—Lethbridge. Lethbridge Niseiettes Wind-Up Dance, Henderson Lake Pavilion, orchestra, 9 to 1.

23—Toronto. Toronto JCCA Annual Spring Frolic, UNF Auditorium.

Metro To Hold Last Pre-Summer Meeting

The Toronto Metropolitan Nisei Fellowship will hold its last regular meeting before summer on Wed., May 9. Elections will take place followed by a social evening in charge of Dot Sasaki.

All members are asked to make a special point of attending this meeting.

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Kelowna Nisei in Varied Fields of Athletics, Kogas Well-Known Athletes Around Rutland

KELOWNA, B. C. — The Rutland Merchants coached by Morio Koga are champions of the 6-team Senior Mercantile Hockey League. In a best of five game series final, it took six games (fifth game ended in a tie) for the Merchants to beat out Kelowna Stampeders. Winning the final game 3-2 playing coach Morio Koga accepted the Interior Decorators Cup on behalf of his teammates.

On the ice, Morio is a smart, smooth-skating defenseman. His brother Mits is a neat stick-handling centre who has the knack of flicking on the red light. He is flanked on the left wing by short but solid Tamotsu Tamagi. Tadashi Tamagi completes the Nisei roster of the team as the spare goalie.

Among potential Nisei hockey players among those of junior age are Stan Maehara and Yukio Tanemura, members of the Kelowna Bantam Packers. Both are hard-playing forwards. Charles Wakabayashi was selected on the Kelowna Midget All-Star team which defeated the Trail outfit at Trail to become the champions of the Interior Midget playoffs.

In baseball, the Koga brothers appear again. These Nisei year-round sportmen are the main standbys on the Rutland Baseball clubs. Sue Koga has been appointed coach of the Rutland Adanacs.

Jim Kitaura will play centre field again for the Adanacs. Incidentally he is vice-president of the Rutland team and the secretary of the Interior ball league. The Kamloops C.Y.O., North Kamloops Okonots, Salmon Arm, Revelstoke Spikes, Winfield Cubs, Rutland Adanacs and a combined team from Westland and Peachland will compose this year's Interior Baseball League which opened on April 29.

In softball, a Niseiette team is anticipated. The girls know more about that. Kaz Hayashi is so far the lone tennis enthusiast while Mr. K. Naito is the man with the fishing tackle and tactics.

Y. T.

Kelowna Bowlers

KELOWNA, B. C. — In the Gay Way Mixed Bowling League, members of the Benny's Service team have come out on top claiming various trophies. Johnny Naito won the high single award with 339. Tosh Yamamoka the high triple with 822. For the best improved average, Mrs. Yoshi Yamamoto won a trophy.

In the Bert's Bowladrome men's commercial league, Stan Matsuba took the high triple award with 927.

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Personal Notes

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COALDALE, Alta. — Coaldale Buddhist Church was the setting for the marriage of Fumiye, eldest daughter of Mr. Matsu Higa of Taber, Alta., and Mr. Genichi Nakama, eldest son of Mr. Genkichi Nakama of Coaldale, on April 21.

Baishakunins were Mr. and Mrs. Toyama and Mr. and Mrs. Setoguchi.

Montreal Fellowship

MONTREAL — All members and friends of the Montreal Nisei Fellowship Group are requested to note that on May 11 there will not be a regular meeting, but instead they are to proceed directly to 690 Sherbourne St. West (McGill Union) where they will be guests of the British West Indians Club of McGill University which is sponsoring an "Inter-Group Social Nite" from 8:30 p.m. It is apparently going to be a gala affair what with Calypso-singing and dancing session on the program.

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South Alta Sugar Beet Loop Opens Seventh Season With Six Teams, All-Stars Chosen

PICTURE BUTTE, Alta. — The 1951 version of the Southern Alberta Sugar Beet Baseball League will operate its seventh season since its inception with six teams, Magrath Evaks, Raymond Busseis, T.B.C. Club, Picture Butte Bluebirds, Taber Trojans, and Coaldale Cubs.

Last year the Raymond Busseis won the 1950 Top Team of the Year Trophy which is awarded annually by the league. The Busseis won 11 games while losing three. In the semi-final playoffs, they were knocked off by Coaldale Cubs. The latter, in turn were beaten by Magrath Evaks who won the championship.

On March 31, the league held its annual meeting in Lethbridge with two persons being chosen as league officials—Tak Katakami, president and secretary; Jim Ikebuchi, vice-president.

It was decided at this meeting to change the name of the league but the meeting which was scheduled to take place in order to decide the details was cancelled for some reason. The league, therefore, will carry on as in the previous six years.

The 1950 All-Star team as chosen by Tak Katakami is as follows

Tak Kano, T.B.C. — C
Sid Saga, Magrath — P
Dan Saga, T.B.C. — 1B
Yosh Kunimoto, Magrath — 2B
N. Kunimoto, Magrath — SS
Tosh Iwamoto, P.B. — 3B
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Jim Mikado, Magrath — CF

The league started its season last May 5.

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Tennis Movies

As a combined effort of a Nisei tennis clubs in Toronto, films on tennis will be shown at the Church of All Nations (Queen and Spadina) on Friday, May 11 at 8 p.m.

Mother's Day Service

On Sunday, May 13, a combined mother's and father's day service is to be held by the Toronto YBS at the Canadian Legion Hall commencing at 2 p.m. Members and friends are invited to bring their parents.

Following the service, a program of entertainment and games will take place.

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